

the use of amylin-(1-8) (SEQ ID NO:2) in the preparation of a medicament for effecting chondrocyte proliferation; and

the use of adrenomedullin-(27-52) (SEQ ID NO:3) in the preparation of a medicament for effecting chondrocyte proliferation}--

In the claims:

Amend claims 11, 22, 30, 33, 37, and 40 as follows:

--11. (Amended) A method according to claim 10 wherein said amylin analog is

A 3 amylin-(1-8) (SEQ ID NO:2)}--

--22. (Twice Amended) A method according to claim 17 wherein said adrenomedullin

A 4 analog is adrenomedullin-(27-52) (SEQ ID NO:3)}--

--30. (Amended) A method according to claim 29 wherein the amylin analog is

A 5 amylin-(1-8) (SEQ ID NO:2)}--

--33. (Amended) A method according to claim 32 wherein the adrenomedullin analog

A 6 is adrenomedullin-(27-52) (SEQ ID NO:3)}--

--37. (Amended) A method according to claim 36 wherein the amylin analog is

A 7 amylin-1-8 (SEQ ID NO:2)}--

--40. (Amended) A method according to claim 39 wherein the adrenomedullin analog

A 8 is adrenomedullin-27-52 (SEQ ID NO:3)}--